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### JUDGE DALY'S CASE.

Among the officers to be chosen by the votes of the people of New York on the 8th proximo are three or four justices of the Supreme Court-next to the highest State court. Judge Daly, who has hitherto been a Democrat, has filled one of these positions for twenty-eight years, That he has given fair satisfaction on the bench is admitted; yet when Tammany made its nominations it left him off its

It seems that the Judge has never taken any interest in his party's affairs. That he ever asked Judge Daly to do anything for him personally, Mr. Croker most positively denies; but the Judge had been requested to give a clerkship to another Mr. Daly, which he declined to do. Mr. Croker and his associates made no

to find with Judge Daly, except that he failed to show any sympathy with the upon the people? party organization. The Judge is one of those Democratic office-holders who hold office at the hands of their party without ever having it to occur to them that they ought to be grateful. They share the fruits of Democratic victory without contributing to that end.

Far be it from us to say that a judge ought to become an active, bustling politician. No, indeed. There are other ways for him to show that he is a Democrat and that he is appreciative of the labors of the party's committees and clubs and that much-despised but very valuable class known as "party workers." Political parties are recognized as essential to the welfare of this country, but they could never be kept together if they were to spend their efforts year in and year out In behalf of men who do not so much as say "thank you" for keeping them in of-

Having been turned down by Tammany, Daly was nominated by the Republicans. and very promptly accepted their nomination. Tammany nominated Mr. Leven-

At the meeting of the Bar Association of New York on Saturday night its Committee on Nominations reported that Mr. Leventritt's professional and moral standing is low, and that his presence upon the bench would lower its tone and impair its credit for efficiency.

If these are facts Tammany has made a great blunder in nominating Mr. Leventritt. Doubtless it was justified in seeking another man than Judge Daly for the party nomination, but out of the great multitude of Democratic lawyers in the city of New York surely it could have found Daly's equal. We say, if these are facts, because we are not yet ready to accept the judgment of the Bur Association. We do not know how many members of the association were present when its action was taken. We do know, however, that Mr. Leventritt was tried and condemned in his absence, and certainly that was not as it should have been. It is true that after the committee's report was formulated it occurred to some of the members present that a form of trial should be gone through with, and one lawyer for the prosecution and another for the defence were thereupon appointed and arguments were duly made pro and con. But it nowhere appears that Mr. Leventritt himself had an opportunity to appear in person before the committee of investigation. If he had been given that opportunity he might have made explanations that would have re-

moved some, if not all, of the objections

that have been urged against him. But

no; the Bar Association did not proceed

that way; hence it will find its report very

titich discredited-unless the people of

than we have always supposed them to "he chief charge against Mr. Leven- street-car business.

tritt is that while he was a member of a certain law firm, and when he had been at the bar but a few years, he was guilty of irregularities in a divorce suit; but the gentleman who undertook hi: defence before the Bar Association stated positively that the offence alleged was not rightly chargeable to Leventritt, but to one of his partners. Mr. Leventritt was the Judge of the court where the case was heard, says that Mr. Leventritt was not personally responsible, and that he is sorry the matter has been revived after a lapse of twenty years, in which Mr. Leventritt has made a good name for himself. Mr. Croker, for his part, declares that the Bar Association is a Republican annex, run by Root and Choate.

We wish there were less of the oneman power in Tammany, but bossism is the fashion in politics in many of the States north of us. While Mr. Croker lords it over Tammany, Mr. Platt lords it over the Republicans-yes, even over the great political reformer, Colonel Roosevelt, who has spent a great part of his public life in preaching independ-

### FORAKER AND PHILIPPINES.

In a campaign speech he made Friday, Senator Foraker stated that he hoped we would have the Philippines, and then informed his audience that there "were four hundred" of the islands in all, and that when we got them "we would have islands to burn."

The reference of the senior senator from Ohio to the diversion in which we could engage should we annex the Philippines. confirms that gentleman's claim to the sobriquet of "Fire-Alarm Foraker." And, indeed, it would seem that he revels in the distinction and would not have the public forget that he is entitled to it. But the little matter of pardonable per-

sonal vanity and evidence of self-folicatation in a title apart, we can pardon publication. This is a long standing rule this weakness, if weakness it was, in view in one single point. Mr. Foraker informed us positively that there were four hundred Philippine Islands in all, thus showing that he knows more about the Philippines than any other authority. Hying or dead. The British Encyclopaedia says that the number of the islands is believed to exceed 1,400. Appleton's Cyclo paedin says there are in the group nine arger and nearly twelve hundred smaller islands. Several other "authorities" on the Philippines are slient as to the queson, and discreetly confine themselves to estimating the number of square miles n the archipelago.

Mr. Foraker has relieved the public mind of a great doubt as to the number of the Philippine Islands. Moreover, he has relieved the public mind in another particular. As there are only 400, instead of 1,200 or 1,400 islands, the labor of carrying out our policy of "humanity"is, of civilizing the pagan Malays and Negritoes, and the piratical Mohammedans by the gunpowder process-will be less difficult than most persons had been led to expect. It will be much had been thought to corral Mr. Hanna's new wards and dose them with the so many years in making good Indians,

### PALMER'S PERFORMANCE.

Ex-Senator John M. Palmer is out in a card stating that he will vote for Isaac N. Mills, the Republican candidate in the Seventeenth Illinois District. Furthermore, a special to the New York Tribune from Decatur, Ill., says that Palmer is to be in that city next Thursday night "to preside over a Republican meeting, to be addressed by W. D. Bynum, one of the Democratic soundmoney leaders.'

How is this performance for the erstwhile embodiment of the "only Simonleader's training prominently with the If this last summersault of Palmer's-

and he has thrown many in his daydoes not open the eyes of the Democrats who followed after pinch-beck political gods in 1896, and bring them back to the house of their fathers, what will? As we have frequently stated, we have

no quarrel with our erring Democratic brethren who supported the Palmer-Buckner ticket. We parted with them in sadness, not in anger. Many of them, we believe, were sincere, though wofully mistaken. Consequently, it is in no ungenerous or exultant spirit that we say "We told you so," But what we told them has been demonstrated to be the exact fact. We said that behind the Palmer and Buckner movement was a huge Republican "bamboozling" game. Now Palmer and Bynum come into open court and confess we were correct.

### THE SAME OLD PARTY.

The Republican party can no more change its character and its instincts than the leopard can change its spots or the Ethiopian can change his skin. In the matter of the treatment of the South it has the same disposition that it had in Reconstruction days. In those days its disposition and its policy were to humillate the southern people in every way possible, and one form of humiliation it subjected us to consisted in appointing negro office-holders for this section.

Mr. McKinley, true to the character, instincts, disposition, and policy of his party, is sprinkling the South over with negro postmasters. A few days ago Franklin county, Va., had a taste of this humiliation, and judging from the experience of some of the other Southern States, it was but a suggestion of the dose of humiliation that is in store for us. Hence, we say to the Democrats of Virginia, that in this campaign they are fighting the same old party they have been fighting ever since the war.

The bureaucrats are still trying hard to make Sampson a hero, but they will never succeed, never. Sampson is not of heroic material. The heroes of the war with Spain are Dewey, Lee, Hobson, Schley, Bagley, Wheeler, and Rooseveltfive sevenths of whom, it may be per- feel itself financially and otherwise in ceived, are of southern birth and lineage- position to follow suit. five and a half of the seven, indeed, as Roosevelt is half a southerner, his mother having been a Georgian.

The Philadelphia Press says: "In order to make the Philadelphia jubilee celebration one of national rejoicing on the return of peace, and utterly devoid of all sectionalism, earnest and pressing invitations to be present at the three days demonstration have been issued to Mrs. Jefferson Davis and the wife of Majorthe city of New York are less fair-minded | General Pickett."

There are perils also, it appears, in the

M'KINLEY AND RACIAL LINES.

In a speech made at Chicago on Sunday night, at a meeting held to usher in the festivities of the peace jubilee, which that city is going to hold for the promotion of trade and the brotherhood of man, Professor Booker Washington, among other things, said:

"In this presence, and on this auspicious occasion, I want to present the deep gratitude of nearly ten millions of my people to our wise, patient, and brave Chief Executive for the generous manner in which my race has been recog-nized during this conflict-a recollection that has done more to blot out sectional and racial lines than any event since the dawn of our freedom."

Washington is at the head of a negro college at Tuskegee, Ala., and is usually conservative in his utterances. From time to time he has given his race much good advice; but he ought to know that that statement of his is mere nonsense.

There has been no "blotting out" of sectional lines, and there will not be, until sectional legislation ceases. So long as Republican congresses pass laws that enrich the North at the expense of our section, it is the height of folly to talk about "blotting out" sectional lines. And as to the blotting out of racial lines, that will never be done so long as the black man is black and the white man is white. Why, only last week in Abraham Lin

coin's State of Illinois, there was a race

riot, where more men were killed than

the Americans lost in that celebrated charge that has made Roosevelt famous And only last week it was discovered that the Post-Office Department had appointed a negro postmaster at Junta, Va. The result of that appointment, as is well known, has greatly incensed our people, and no white man-Republican McKinleyfte, or what not-can be found

ted the appointment. Of all the white Republican leaders in Virginia, not one comes forward and says 'I endorsed the application; I am glad Twyman was appointed." No; not one!

willing to admit that he aided or abet-

So, there you have two recent instances showing that the war with Spain has had no effect upon racial lines. And, mark you, one of these instances was in the Northwest and the other in the South.

Instead of congratulating the McKinley Administration upon "blotting out racial lines," it could be more honestly charged with deepening and broadening them. Mr. McKinley has been persistent in making appointments of negroes to positions where they must come into contact with the whites, and he has kept the race issue prominent ever since he has been in office. Booker Washington and his tribe may tickle northern ears with as much nonsense as they please, but whoever reads the newspapers and stops to think for himself, must know that the racial line is just where it has been for unnumbered centuries, and where it is likely to remain to the end of

### THE CARY LECTURESHIP.

In the annual report of the Committee on Educational Work of the Christian Woman's Board of Missions, a body auxeasier and much more convenient than iliary to the Christian Church, now holding its general convention at Chattanooga, special mention is made of the Bible civilizing remedy we have employed for lectureship of the University of Virginia, founded by Colonel John B. Carv. of this ity. He pledged his support to this work during his lifetime, and the committee is assured by T. Archibald Cary on behalf of his mother, Mrs. Columbia Cary; Miss Gillie Cary, Mrs. Lizzie Daniel, Mrs. Effie White, and himself that \$10,000 will be given to the Christian Woman's Board of Missions as the minimum amount for the endowment of the University of Virginia Bible lectureship, founded by Colonel Cary. The committee recommended that the Bible teaching at the University of Virginia be considered a permanent part of the board's Bible chair work. The committee further recommended that the pure Democracy?" What say the Gold grateful appreciation of the gift, together Democrats of Virginia to their former with the sympathy and love of the convention, be tendered to the family of the bones of saying that they had no fault party whose head and front is pursuing great and good man who made the donathe policy of foisting negro office-holders tion, with the prayer that the Father's richest blessing may rest upon them, and that they may be comforted with the comfort that God alone can bestow.

> Our Bedford correspondent is persuaded that Miss Betsey Creasy, of that county, is 105 years old, and, moreover, she is represented as being "marvellously wellpreserved, bright, cheerful, and active " Her vision is also said to be "so perfect that she can read, write, and thread the finest needle without the aid of glasses"-the result of second sight. But, as yet, we have not "indisputable evidence" of her great age. The chief testimony on that point is that of a lady who says her own grandmother, who has been dead some years, was younger by a year than Miss Betsey, and had she lived she would now be 104 years old.

> It may be that Miss Betsey is a centenarian, but we must say the "Indisputable evidence" that we have spoken of as lacking in so many other cases has no vet been furnished in this instance. However, we trust it soon will be furnished, for we should much like to find at least one thoroughly proved centenarian in Virginia.

This is the day for China's Emperor to be alive. "Satisfactory assurances," it is reported, "have been given to Sir Claude MacDonald as to his health," which is interpreted to mean that he is safe as well as sound, since there couldn't very well be any question about his health if he were a dead man,

The first white woman to reach the Klondike-Mrs. Grignon, wife of a wealthy Yukoner-died in Seattle, Sunday. She didn't have a very long time in which to enjoy her gold. Man and woman propese, etc.

The Anarchists who provided the hombs for Emperor William had also matured a plot to assassinate King Humbert, of Italy, it appears. The head that wears a crown these days has to employ a large force of detectives.

Baltimore is now rapidly putting its electric wires underground. We trust it will not be long before Richmond will

To-day Porto Rico becomes ours in its entirety. What will we do with it?

#### Cyclone Jim. (Buchanan Banner.)

J. W. Marshall was in Judge wn yesterday en route home, and is many friends insisted upon him maining over to make us a eech in behalf of Quarles. The dge consented and he was at his best. He held his audience for fully an hour and was listened to with rapt attention. His spech was one of the ablest ever delivered in the town. He had just come 25 cents. All druggists.

Southwest, where he had been speaking Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass for Judge Rhea

HOWARD GOTLD AND BRIDE.

Cargo-Briefs.

NEWPORT NEWS, VA. October 17.—
(Special.)—Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gould, accompanied by a few friends, and all attired in yachting costumes, except the bride, arrived here this morning from Oid Point Comfort and visited the ship-yard at the invitation of General-Manager Walter A. Post. Captain Shackford, the master of the yacht Ningara, piloted the party to the yard, where several officials accompanied the 'adies and gentlemen through the mammoth plant. Mrs. Goula through the mammoth plant. Mrs. Gould attracted considerable attention on ac-count of her beauty and refinement. The party arrived by the electric line, and re-turned on the same road this afternoon. It is understood that the Gould party will

leave to-morrow for Washington.
The Chesapeake and Ohio freighter The Chesapeake and Ohio freighter Rapidan, the largest vessel used exclu-sively for freighting purposes to pass the Virginia Capes, arrived here yesterday afternoon on her third trip out from Liverpool, with an immense cargo of imports. On her last trip from Newport News the Rapidan carried 750 cars of cargo and 350 head of cattle, the largest cargo that has ever passed out of the cargo that has ever passes. When she sails next week she will take over 750 cars of cargo and 800 head of cattle. This will be the largest number of cattle shipped on one vessel from a Hampton Roads port or any other port on the Atlantic coast. The Chesapeake and Ohlo people have received or ders to load the Rapidan this time with all possible dispatch, and the big ship will be ready to leave again in a few Commodore Robley D. Evans arrived at

Old Point on Saturday to spend several days with his family at their picturesque home, just outside of Fort Monroe, on the military boulevard along Hampton

The Ministers' Association of Newport News was organized this morning, the following members: Rev. E. T. Wellford, First Presbyterian church; F. J. Ribble, St. Paul's Episcopal church; Rev. B. F. Lipscomb, Washington-Avenue Methodist church; Rev. W. R. Motley, hirtieth-Street Christian church; Rev. T MacKay, Second Baptist church; Rev. M. S. Clonna, Jr., Chestnut-Avenue Methchurch; General-Secretary C Kent, Jr., Young Men's Christian Association, and R. L. Redding, superintend-ent of the Union Gospel Mission.

Information was received here to-day of the marriage of Mr. W. H. L. Kent, of this city, and Miss Mattle Eleanor Moore, of Williamston, N. C., at Tremont Temple, Boston, on last Wednesday. Mr. Kent is manager for the National Brew-ing Company, and his marriage was quite a surprise to his friends, who were of the opinion that he went to Boston to arrange for the machinery for the new ice-plant, which his company will shortly build.

Sam Hall, the negro saloonkeeper, of Bloodfield, who shot and killed Private Alonzo Andrews and wounded Private Jacob Altmire, both of Company I, 160th Indiana Regiment, on August 18th last, will be tried in the County Court next Monday. Judge Baker P. Lee will sit in

#### Christian Church Statistics. (Chattanooga Times.)

The Churches of Christ, or Disciples of Christ, or Reformers, are now holding their national convention in the city of Chattanooga, Tenn.

This body represents a constituency of 1,000,613, of whom there are—whites, 989,-

	613; colored, 71,000.	
	The membership by States is as f	
	Alabama	11,04
	Arizona	33
	Arkansas	58.00
	California	18.78
	Colorado	4.60
	Connecticut	8
	Delaware	13
	District of Columbia	1,25
	Florida	1,92
	Georgia	11,03
	Idaho	79
	filinois	103,71
	Indiana	102.00
	Indian Territory	2.74
	Iowa	52,95
١	Kansas	45,75
	Kentucky	105,00
	Louisiana	1,20
1	Maine	60
١	Maryland	2,42
i	Massachusetts	1,00
١	Michigan	8,35
ļ	Minnesota	3.07
1	Mississippi	6,83
	Missouri	154,30
١	Montana	1,33
1	Nebraska	23.00
ı	Nevada	10
l	New Jersey	15
1	New York	6.95
ı	Mexico	32
ı	North Carolina	15.45
ı	North Dakota	45
ł	Ohio	69.00
I	Oklahoma	7,02
ı	Oregon	6,41
ı	Pennsylvania	18,59
ı	Rhode Island	6
Ī	South Carolina	2.98
١	South Dakota	2.88
İ	Tennessee	45,01
ł	Texas	68,00
1	Utah	48
ı	Vermont	30
ı	Virginia	29.83
ı		6,00
ı	Washington West Virginia	13,17
ı		1.41
ı	Wisconsin	39
٥	Wyoming	90

Colored ...... IN FOREIGN LANDS. There are also in foreign lands 40,568, as

Great Britain ...... 12,000 Foreign stations ..... 6,408

Total ..... Total by States ...... 1,060,613 Grand total ...... 1,161,181

The Average Man. (Margaret E. Sangstet, in Harper's Weekly).
When it comes to a question of trusting Yourself to the risks of the road.
When the thing is the sharing of burdens, The lifting the heft of a load.
In the hour you meet as you can.
You may safely depend on the wisdom And skill of the average man.

Tis the average man and no other Who does his plain duty each day The small thing his wage is for doing On the commonplace bit of the wry. Tis the average man, may God bless hi Who pilots us, still in the van, Over land, over sea, as we travel, Just the plain, hardy, average man. eas him So on through the days of existence

All mingling in shadow and shine, We may count on the every-day hero. Whom haply the gods may divine. But who wears the swarth grime of his But who wears the swarth grime of hi calling.

And inburs and earns as he can,

And stands at the last with the noblest,

The commonplace average man. Greensboros Won.

GREENSBORO', N. C., October 17.-(Special.)-The Greensboro' foot-ball team defeated the Mebane High-School team this afternoon, 23 to 0. The star plays on, 23 to 0. The star plays by Wharton, Gilmer, and were made

### Liver IIIs

pation, sour stomach, indigestion are promptly pation, sour stomach, indigestion are promptly at Wilson Station, on the 16th ultimo, cured by Hood's Pills. They do their work When the killing occurred Feltz and Baid-

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DEMOCRATIC CANVASS.

Appointments for Public Speaking in This State. State Democratic Committee, Room 82, Chamber of Commerce Bld'g.

Richmond, Va. The following appointments for public peaking are announced: HON, THOMAS S. MARTIN.

Brunswick (court), October 24th. Surry (court), October 25th. Charlotte (court), November 7th. HON. JOHN F. RIXEY.

Stafford (court), October 19th. Fauquier (court), October 24th. HON. SYDNEY P. EPES. Nottoway (court), November 3d. Greenesville (court), November 7th. HON. JAMES HAY. Harrisonburg, October 17th (court).

Luray, October 24th (court). Charlottesville, November 7th (court). HON. SAMUEL W. WILLIAMS. Grayson, October 18th (court). HON. H. D. FLOOD. Augusta (court), October 24th. Nottoway (court), November 3d. Greenesville (court), November 7th.

Reanoke City, October 17th (night). Smyrna, Bedford county, October 21st night).

Peaksville, Bedford county, October 22d afternoon) Montvale, Bedford county, October 18th, Otter Hill, Bedford county, October 19th, 7:30 P. M. Sedalla, Bedford county, October 20th,

(30 P. M. Halifax (court), October 24th. Republican Grove, Halifax county, October 25th (2 P. M.). Mount Carmel, Halifax county, October 26th (2 P. M.).

:30 P. M.

South Boston, Hallfax county, October 26th (8 P. M.). Virgilina, Halifax county, October 27th (2 P Oak Level, Halifax county, October 28th

(2 P. M.). Clover, Halifax county, October 29th (2 P. M.). Scottsburg. Hallfax county, October 29th (8 P. M.).

HON. JOHN LAMB. Hanover (court), October 19th. Charles City (court), October 20th, King William (court), October 25th, West Point, October 25th (night). HON. WILLIAM P. BARKSDALE, Roanoke (court) (Salem), October 17th, Bedford (court), October 24th, Montgomery (court), October 25th, Charlette (court), November 7th, HON. J. M. QUARLES.

Fairfield, October 24th (night). Brownsburg, October 25th (3 P. M.). Kennedy's Schoolhouse, October 25th (night). Natural Bridge, October 26th (night).

Amherst (court), October 17th. Staunton (court), October 24th. HON. J. M. QUARLES AND C. A. BOYCE, ESQ.

Allwood, Amherst county, October 19th Amherst county, October Lowesville, Amherst county, October

Massie's Mills, Nelson county, October Slaughter's, Nelson county, October 21st

(afternoon). HON. PEMBROKE PETTIT. Nelson (court), October 24th. JEFFERSON WALLACE, ESQ. Goochland (court), October 17th, Hanover (court), October 19th, New Kent (court), October 20th, King William (court), October 25th,

HON. N. B. EARLY, JR. Madison (court), October 27th, Waynesboro', November 5th (night), Albemarle (court), November 7th,

FRANK T. GLASCOW, ESQ. Nelson (court), October 24th. JUDGE W. HODGES MANN. Amelia Court, October 27th JUDGE WILLIAM F. RHEA.

Wise County Court, October 24th. HON. C. M. WALLACE, JR. adison (court), October 27th. HON, THOMAS N. WILLIAMS. Prince Edward (court), October 17th Nottoway (court), November 3d. Greensville (court), November 7th,

HON. W. A. JONES. Manchester, Monday, October 24th J. TAYLOR ELLYSON, Chairman. Joseph Button, Secretary.

Major Seaman's Denial.

(New York Herald.)

In falsely denying the accuracy of his interview in the Herald, Major L. L. Seaman seems to have undergone a remark change of heart. When he arrived in New York on the Obdam he was in a most indignant frame of mind. He de-nounced the War Department in unmeaared terms and every one connected with the management of the transport system. He made no attempt to repudiate his utterances until under a cross examination, which demonstrated how groundless were his charges and how hasty he had been in forming erroneous opinions. Then it was that he sought re-fuge in denying the interview in the The Herald makes a rule never to print

an interview obtained under false repre-sentations or when the person quoted gives utterance to a rash statement during a moment of temporary excitement. In all cases where the subject of the interview is a matter of great importance the Herald makes it a practice to submit the manuscript to the person interviewed for revision or correction. This was precisely what was done with the interview that Major Seaman now attempts to repudiate, and every opportunity was given him to deny it or alter it.

Not only did he make the assertions to
the Herald reporter, but to reporters of

other New York newspapers. The wisdom of the Herald's custom of submitting in-terviews for revision is amply demonstrated in this case. Detectives Indicted.

PETERSBURG, VA., October 17 .- (Spe

cial.)-In the County Court of Dinwiddie to-day indictments were returned against W. G. Baldwin and T. L. Feltz, charging them with the murder of Henry Hawks,

win, it will be remembered, were arrest-ing H. W. Hawks, the son of the deing H. W. Hawks, the son of the deceased, on the charge of conspiracy, of which H. W. Hawks was recently found guilty by Justice Eley, of Suffolk. The cases will be heard at the November term-of the court. On motion for continuance, made by counsel for Baldwin and Feltz, the court postponed the cases. Baldwin and Feltz, are private detectives. In the employment of the Norfolk and Western Railway Company. WILLIAMSBURG.

The Peanut Crop-Want to Build a Parsonage-Briefs.

WILLIAMSBURG, VA., October 17 .-(Special.)-The pastor of the Baptist hurch to-day gave notice that the Sunday-School Convention of the Dover Association, lower district, would be held on October 28th, 29th, and 36th in Mt. Pleasant church, Charles City county, near Lanexa Depot.

Our farmers are busy digging peanuts and sweet-potatoes. The former crop will come out about one-half in quantity, but in size and quality the nuts are the best raised here for years. The potato crop is a large one, but owing to the low prices offered, our farmers are putting them away until winter, when, it is hoped, they will make a little something

Mr. George Lutman, who resides at his farm, "Springfield," on the York road, is dangerously ill with fever.

The Gazette publisher hopes to have his new press up and working this week, when the Gazette will be issued as a sixcolumn, eight-page paper,

The Baptist congregation are making strong efforts to secure means by subscription to erect a parsonage on the lot between their church and the drugstore of Mr. Henley T. Jones. Many of our people have subscribed, some of them handsomely, and the pastor, Rev. I. S. Boyles, who is a great worker, hopes to have sufficient funds by the winter to enable him to begin building operations in the early spring.

Miss Mollie Galt, who came from Covington, Va., to attend the recent cele-bration at Jamestown, returned there this morning. Mr. Henry Smeltz lectured at the Bap-

tist church yesterday to a full house Mr. Smeltz, who is from Hampton, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Galba Vaiden, while here. Mr. and Mrs. James O. Kinnier, of Roanoke, are visiting at "Russels," the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas L. Blox-

ton. Mrs. Kinnier was Miss Dunn, from Essex, and is very popular with a wide circle of acquaintances. Mr. Robert T. Armistead left this morn-

ing for Yorktown, to attend County The partridge season came in Satur-day, and a number of our Nimrods went

filled with birds. FALL MAY PROVE FATAL.

and returned with their game-bags

A Child Badly Bitten by a Dog-Other Old Burg Notes. FREDERICKSBURG, VA., October 17. (Special.)-Marvin Compton, a young son of Mr. Everett Compton, while playing

with some companions near the Bridgewater Mills yesterday evening, fell a distance of about 15 feet, receiving injuries which may prove fatal.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Sale, of King George county, have issued invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Willie.

Mr. E. R. Conway, of Danville. The remony will take place on the evening of the 26th instant at Bethesda church, in The remains of Henry Clay Thorburn, who was born in this city in 1841, but

who for the past thirty years had re-sided in Baltimore, in which city he died Saturday evening, will be brought here to-morrow for interment. The fune-ral services will be held in the Presbyterian church at 4 P. M. During the civil war deceased was first lieutenant in Braxton's Battery. He was a son of the late Commodore Thorburn.

While playing with a strange dog this morning, little Alexander Hamilton was badly bitten on his hand and arm. The necessary medical aid was rendered. The dog escaped.

### DR. DUNCAN'S CASE.

Commonwealth Not Prepared-Mr. Franklin Minor Sent On.

FAIRFAX COURTHOUSE, VA., October 17.-(Special.)-Dr. Duncan returned here to-day to stand trial upon the charge of desecrating the grave of Major Duke, Pedlar Mills, Amherst county, October of the Confederate army. Commonwealth's-Attorney C. V. Ford stated that he was not prepared for trial, as he had been unable as yet to procure a copy of the evidence introduced at the court-martial trial at Thoroughfare. He also stated that he did not know definitely what witnesses he would summon until he examined said report. The Court continued the case till the November term It is doubted whether the witnesses for the Commonwealth will be procured.

Mr. Franklin Minor, charged with shooting Horace Gibson (colored), was to-day admitted to ball under a bond for \$900 to appear before the grand jury at the De-comber term of our County Court.

Norfolk Yard Investigation.

NORFOLK, VA., October 17,-(Special.) The utmost secrecy is being observed by naval officials here relative to the inrestigation of several departments of the Norfolk navy-yard, which is being conducted by Lieutenant Knapp, sent here for that purpose. Although it is not expected that any such irregularities as were unearthed at League Island yard will be disclosed by the investigation here, still it is well known that certain alleged discriminations have long been heads of several departments and mem-bers of the clerical force, as well as laborers at present employed, or but re-cently discharged, have been before the tribunal to give evidence regarding these alleged irregularities. It is stated that the report Lieutenant Knapp will make

### Is It a Trick? (Staunton Spectator.)

The nomination of Mr. A. Fulwiler, of

to the department will be a highly inter-

esting document.

Botetourt, by the Republicans to oppose Mr. C. E. McCorkle, just nominated by, the Democrats, is a little shadowy. Mr. Fulwiler is the postmaster at Buchanan. He is said not to want the position of Senator, which would forfeit his office of postmaster, and this is well understood. The wolf's head is discernible under the sheep's clothing. This nomina-tion will afford the most ample means to swap. It will also put some new life into the campaign, and will be the means of bringing out a larger vote, but not with any serious intention of the Republicans electing a senator, but to defeat the Democratic candidate for Congress. The Democrats should beware of their wily antagonist, and be prepared for the game. To be forewarned is to be forearmed. So Dem-oerats may look out for offers and propositions, and from all these they should steer clear. There will be many Sirens' songs sung, and possibly a little of the '6 campaign fund, which is still on hand, may be put in here. If this is attempted our people should be aroused to the necessity of averting such a danger, and go to the polls determined to defeat such a scheme. CURED OF ASTHMA

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